



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the application of:

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For: METHOD FOR SCREENING AND PRODUCING COMPOUND LIBRARIES

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Date: November 17, 2004

Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the official action dated May 18, 2004, the time period for response having been extended from August 18, 2004 to November 18, 2004 by the enclosed Petition for Extension of Time. In the prosecution of this application please consider the following: